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DIARY NOTES

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19 May 1953

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1. Reviewed [REDACTED] staff study on the subject of "Purchase of Uniforms for Chauffeurs" and asked him to revise it.

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2. Arranged for our Special Contracting Officer to expedite the \$250.00 contract for [REDACTED] of OSI.

3. Mr. Pforzheimer telephoned to say that Congressman Vursell had called him about our rejecting an applicant who is a constituent of his. The Congressman recommended this applicant, Robert Gardner, very highly and was somewhat unhappy that we had rejected him after having given him encouragement that he would

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formed Mr. Pforzheimer of this and also told him that in the future I expected him to develop such facts with the Personnel Office before presenting me with the problem and that after he had gone into all aspects of the case he should come back to me, at which time I would advise him what to tell the Congressman.

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4. [REDACTED] advised me that personnel with dependents, automobiles, etc., employed on [REDACTED] were being sent abroad for one-year tours and not two-year tours of duty. He wondered if this were proper in view of the fact that it was inconsistent with normal Agency practices. I have brought this to Mr. [REDACTED] attention and requested his comments.

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6. [REDACTED] from Communications were up to deliver their project for the construction of laboratory [REDACTED] I told them that I would review the paper with Mr. Wolf and call them as soon as possible.

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7. Dr. Tietien telephoned to say that he was making every possible effort

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